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EMPLOYEE POST-TRAVEL DISCLOSURE FORM

This form is for disclosing the receipt of travel expenses from private sources for meetings, speaking engagements, fact-finding trips or similar events in connection with official duties. You need not disclose government-funded or political travel on this form, or travel that is unrelated to official duties. This form does not eliminate the need to report all privately-funded travel on the annual Financial Disclosure Statements of those persons required to file them. In accordance with clause 5 of House Rule 25, complete this form and file it with the Clerk of the House of Representatives, B-106 Cannon House Office Building, within **15 days** after travel is completed. The Clerk is to make these forms publicly available as soon as possible after they are received. *Obtain the dollar amounts from the sponsor; if exact dollar amounts are unavailable, provide a good faith estimate.*

Name of Employee (print or type): Joseph Wender

Name of Accompanying Family Member (if any): _____

Relationship to Employee: ☐ Spouse ☐ Child ☐ Other (specify): _____

Date of Departure and Date of Return: January 10-12, 2012

Dates at Personal Expense: _____

Itinerary (cities of departure – destination – return): _____

DC to Las Vegas to DC

Sponsor(s) (who paid for the trip): Consumer Electronics Association

Describe meetings and events attended (attach additional pages if necessary): _____

Spent time at the show and conference looking at exhibits. Attended panel discussion on privacy.

Attended Leaders in Technology Dinner.

Attached to this form are EACH of the following (*signify "yes" for each item by checking the corresponding box*):

1. ☒ the Private Sponsor Travel Certification Form completed by trip sponsor, including all attachments;
2. ☒ the Privately-Sponsored Travel Approval Form completed by the employee; *and*
3. ☒ the Committee on Ethics letter approving my participation on this trip.

I represent that I participated in each of the activities reflected in the sponsor's agenda (*signify "yes" by checking box*): ☒

If not, explain: _____

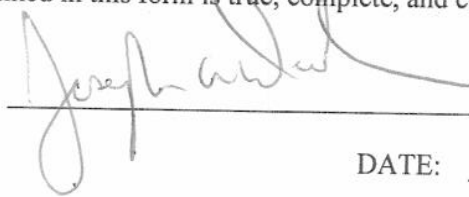
TRAVEL EXPENSES:

	Total Transportation Expenses	Total Lodging Expenses	Total Meal Expenses
For employee:	397.80	593.60	300
For accompanying family member:			

	Other Expenses (dollar amount)	Specific Nature of Expenses (e.g., taxi, parking, registration fee, etc.)
For employee:	90	Transportation to and from McCarran Airport
For accompanying family member:		

I certify that the information contained in this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

SIGNATURE OF EMPLOYEE:



DATE:

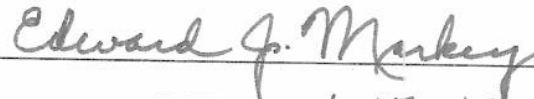
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I authorized this travel in advance. I have determined that all of the expenses listed above were necessary and that the travel was in connection with the employee's official duties and would not create the appearance that the employee is using public office for private gain.

NAME OF SUPERVISING MEMBER:

Edward J. Markey

SIGNATURE OF SUPERVISING MEMBER:



DATE:

1-17-12

U.S. House of Representatives
Committee on Ethics

PRIVATELY SPONSORED TRAVEL: TRAVELER FORM
For Members, Officers, and Employees

This form should be completed by House Members, officers, or employees seeking Committee approval of privately-sponsored travel or reimbursement for travel under House Rule 25, clause 5. The completed form should be submitted directly to the Committee by each invited House Member, officer, or employee, together with the completed and signed Private Sponsor Travel Certification Form and any attachments. A copy of this form, minus this initial page, will be made available for public inspection. *Please type form. Form (and any attachments) may be faxed to the Committee at (202) 225-7392.*

YOUR COMPLETED REQUEST MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE COMMITTEE NO LESS THAN 14 DAYS BEFORE YOUR PROPOSED DEPARTURE DATE. Absent exceptional circumstances, permission will not be granted for requests received less than 14 days before the trip commences.

Name of Traveler: Joseph Wender

I certify that the information contained on both pages of this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: 

Name of Signatory (if other than traveler): _____

For staff, name of employing Member/Committee: Ed Markey

Office address: 2108 Rayburn

Phone number: 202-225-2836

Email address of contact person: joseph.wender@mail.house.gov

- ☐ Check this box if the sponsoring entity is a media outlet and the traveler is a Member traveling to make a media appearance sponsored by that entity and these forms are being submitted to the Committee less than 14 days before the trip departure date.

NOTE: You must complete the contact information fields above, as Committee staff may need to contact you if additional information is required.

If there are any questions regarding this form please contact the Committee:

Committee on Ethics
U.S. House of Representatives
1015 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515
(202) 225-7103 (phone)
(202) 225-7392 (fax)

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PRIVATELY SPONSORED TRAVEL: TRAVELER FORM

1. Name of Traveler: Joseph Wender
2. Sponsor(s) (who will be paying for the trip): Consumer Electronics Association
3. Travel destination(s): Las Vegas, NV
4. a. Date of Departure and Date of Return: January 10-12
b. Will you be extending the trip at your personal expense? ☐ Yes ☒ No
If yes, dates at personal expense: _____
5. a. Will you be accompanied by a family member at the sponsor's expense? ☐ Yes ☒ No
b. If yes, name of accompanying family member: _____
c. Relationship to traveler: ☐ Spouse ☐ Child ☐ Other (specify): _____
6. a. Did the trip sponsor answer "yes" to Question 9(c) on the Trip Sponsor form (i.e., the travel is being sponsored by an entity that employs a lobbyist)? ☒ Yes ☐ No
b. If yes, check one of the following: ☐ N/A – Sponsor checked 9(a) or 9(b)
(1) Approval for one-night's lodging and meals is being requested: ☐ or
(2) Approval for two-nights' lodging and meals is being requested: ☒
If "(2)" is checked, explain why the second night is warranted: Due to distance to Las Vegas, difficult to participate in conference without two nights
7. Private Sponsor Travel Certification Form is attached, including agenda, invitee list, and any other attachments (indicate that form is attached by checking box): ☒
8. Explain why participation in the trip is connected to your individual official or representational duties:
I handle telecom issues for Congressman Markey.

9. **FOR STAFF:**
TO BE COMPLETED BY YOUR EMPLOYING MEMBER:

I hereby authorize the individual named above, an employee of the U.S. House of Representatives who works under my direct supervision, to accept expenses for the trip described in this request. I have determined that the above-described travel is in connection with my employee's official duties and that acceptance of these expenses will not create the appearance that the employee is using public office for private gain.

Date: 11/14/2011

Edward J. Markey
Signature of Employing Member

NOTE: This page must be submitted with your post-travel disclosure form within 15 days of your return, so you should maintain a photocopy of the completed form for your records.

**U.S. House of Representatives
Committee on Ethics**

**PRIVATE SPONSOR TRAVEL CERTIFICATION FORM
(provide directly to each House invitee)**

This form should be completed by private entities offering to provide travel or reimbursement for travel to House Members, officers or employees under House Rule XXV, clause 5. A completed copy of the form (and any attachments) should be provided to each invited House Member, officer or employee, who will then forward it to the Committee. The trip sponsor should NOT submit the form directly to the Committee.

Private sponsors are urged to submit this form to each House invitee at least 30 days before travel is scheduled to begin. The failure to provide the Committee with adequate time to review the form and attachments may result in the invitee not receiving approval for the trip. The submission of an incomplete form will delay the review process. Before completing this form, sponsors are urged to carefully review the Committee's private travel guidelines and advisory memoranda detailing the rules and restrictions for private travel, as well as the instructions for completing this form. Sponsors should call the Committee with any questions prior to submitting the form. Please type form.

1. Sponsor(s) (who will be paying for the trip): Consumer Electronics Association
2. I represent that the trip will not be financed (in whole or in part) by a federally-registered lobbyist or a registered foreign agent (signify "yes" by checking box): ☒
3. I represent that the trip sponsor(s) has not accepted from any other source funds earmarked directly or indirectly to finance any aspect of the trip (signify "yes" by checking box): ☒
4. Is travel being offered to an accompanying family member of the House invitee(s)? ☒ Yes ☐ No
5. Provide names and titles of ALL House invitees; for each invitee, provide explanation of why the individual was invited (include additional pages if necessary): Please see attached.
6. Dates of travel: 1/9/2012-1/13/2012 (guests will stay two nights and one day only, if a two night stay is approved.)
7. Cities of departure – destination – return: Washington, DC - Las Vegas, NV - Washington, DC
8. Attached is a detailed agenda of the activities taking place during the travel (i.e., an hourly description of planned activities) (signify "yes" by checking box): ☒
9. I represent that (check one of the following):
 - a. The sponsor of the trip is an institution of higher education within the meaning of section 101 of the Higher Education Act of 1965: ☐ or
 - b. The sponsor of the trip does not retain or employ a federally registered lobbyist or registered foreign agent: ☐ or
 - c. The trip is for attendance at a one-day event and lobbyist involvement in planning, organizing, requesting, or arranging the trip was *de minimis* under the Committee's travel regulations. ☒
10. If travel is for participation in a one-day event (i.e., if you checked Question 9(c)), check one of the following:
 - a. One-night's lodging and meals are being offered: ☐ or
 - b. Two-nights' lodging and meals are being offered: ☒If "b" is checked, explain why the second night is warranted: Travel time and distance to Las Vegas.

11. If the trip is not sponsored by an institution of higher education, I represent that a federally-registered lobbyist or foreign agent will not accompany House Members or employees on any segment of the trip (*signify "yes" by checking box*): ☒
12. Private sponsors must have a direct and immediate relationship to the purpose of the trip or location being visited. Describe the role of each sponsor in organizing and conducting the trip: _____
The purpose of the trip is CEA's annual trade show and conference. CEA issues the invitations, organizes the conference, and books travel.
13. Describe each sponsor's organizational interest in the purpose of the trip: _____
CEA is the sole sponsor and its interest is CEA's Annual Trade Show and Conference.
14. Describe the type and class of the transportation being provided. Indicate whether coach, business-class or first-class transportation will be provided. In addition, for travel via aircraft, please indicate if travel is being offered on a commercial flight, chartered flight or on an aircraft operated or paid for by a carrier not licensed by the Federal Aviation Administration to operate for compensation or hire (*i.e.*, a private aircraft). If first-class fare is being provided, or if travel is via chartered or private aircraft, please provide an explanation describing why such travel is warranted: _____
Coach class tickets on commercial flights only.
15. I represent that the expenditures related to local area travel during the trip will be unrelated to personal or recreational activities of the invitee(s). (*signify "yes" by checking box*): ☒
16. I represent that either (*check one of the following*):
- a. The trip involves an event that is arranged or organized *without regard* to congressional participation and that meals provided to congressional participants are similar to those provided to or purchased by other event attendees: ☒ *or*
 - b. The trip involves events that are arranged or organized *specifically with regard* to congressional participation: ☐
- If "b" is checked, detail the cost per day of meals (approximate cost may be provided): _____
17. Reason for selecting the location of the event or trip: Location of annual trade show and conference and ability to accommodate space and needs.
18. Name of hotel or other lodging facility: The Encore at Wynn, Las Vegas, NV
19. Cost per night of hotel or other lodging facility (approximate cost may be provided): \$265.00 + 12% tax
20. Reason(s) for selecting hotel or other lodging facility: Location of annual trade show and conference and ability to accommodate space and needs.

21. TOTAL EXPENSES FOR EACH PARTICIPANT:

<input type="checkbox"/> actual amounts <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> good faith estimates	Total <i>Transportation</i> Expenses per Participant	Total <i>Lodging</i> Expenses per Participant	Total <i>Meal</i> Expenses per Participant
For each Member, Officer, or employee	\$600.00	\$593.60	\$300.00
For each accompanying family member	\$600.00		\$300.00

	<i>Other</i> Expenses (dollar amount)	Identify Specific Nature of "Other" Expenses (e.g., taxi, parking, registration fee, etc.)
For each Member, Officer, or employee	\$90.00	Transportation to/from McCarran Airport
For each accompanying family member		

22. I represent that reimbursement for miscellaneous travel expenses for the trip, such as travel to and from airports, security costs, interpreter fees, visa application fees, and similar expenses, will be for actual costs incurred and are necessary for the purpose of the trip (*signify "yes" by checking box*): ☒

23. I certify that the information contained in this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____

Laura Hudson

Name and title: _____

Laura Hudson, Manager CES Projects

Organization: _____

Consumer Electronics Association

Address: _____

1919 South Eads Street, Arlington, VA 22202

Telephone number: _____

703-907-7604

Fax number: _____

703-907-4164

Email Address: _____

lhudson@CE.org

The Committee staff may contact the above individual above if additional information is required.

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The guest list is comprised of key policymakers who work on policy issues impacting the Consumer Electronics Industry.

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The Honorable	Sandra	Adams	Representative	U.S. House of Representatives
The Honorable	Jason	Altmire	Representative	U.S. House of Representatives
The Honorable	Michele	Bachmann	Representative	U.S. House of Representatives
The Honorable	Tammy	Baldwin	Representative	U.S. House of Representatives
The Honorable	Louis	Barletta	Representative	U.S. House of Representatives
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The Honorable	Charles	Bass	Representative	U.S. House of Representatives
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The Honorable	Ed	Whitfield	Representative	U.S. House of Representatives
The Honorable	Frank	Wolf	Representative	U.S. House of Representatives



LEADERS IN TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Monday, January 9

9 a.m.-11 p.m. **Hospitality Suite**
The Encore at Wynn

11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. **Lunch Available in The Encore at Wynn Hospitality Suite**

6:30 p.m. **Preshow Keynote**
Steve Ballmer, Chief Executive Officer, Microsoft Corp.
The Venetian, Venetian Palazzo Ballroom, Level 5
Steve Ballmer joined Microsoft in 1980 after being the first business manager hired by Bill Gates and was named chief executive officer in 2000. Ballmer is focused on continuing Microsoft's leadership across the company's seven businesses and delivering an integrated platform to enable a seamless experience for consumers across PCs, devices and services.

8-10 p.m. **Preshow Opening CEA Reception**
The Venetian, Venetian Ballroom C
Heavy hors d'oeuvres reception
This is the dinner option for our guests

Tuesday, January 10

- 7 a.m.-11 p.m. **Hospitality Suite**
The Encore at Wynn
- 7 a.m.-9 a.m. **Continental Breakfast in Hospitality Suite**
The Encore at Wynn
- 8:30 a.m.-10 a.m. **State of the Industry Address**
Gary Shapiro, President and CEO, Consumer Electronics Association

Opening Keynote Address
Dr. Paul E. Jacobs, Chairman and CEO, Qualcomm
The Venetian, Venetian Palazzo Ballroom, Level 5
- 10 a.m.-6 p.m. **International CES hours at the Las Vegas Convention Center**
- 10 a.m.-6 p.m. **Leaders in Technology Lounge and Business Center**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N252
- 11 a.m.-Noon **Keynote Address**
Dieter Zetsche, Chairman of the Board of Management, Daimler AG / Head of Mercedes-Benz Cars
Las Vegas Hilton Theater
- 11 a.m.-2 p.m. **Lunch Available in Leaders in Technology Lounge & Business Center**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N252
- 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. **Lunch Available in The Encore at Wynn Hospitality Suite**
- Noon-1 p.m. **SuperSession: IP&TV World Forum at CES**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N255-257
OTT is now a mainstream delivery mechanism, and broadcasters and cablecos are seeking to harness the interactivity of IP to enhance their services. Multiscreen and On-the-Go TV are now must-have services, and App Stores are being delivered through Smart TVs and peripherals. How will CE companies negotiate the threats and opportunities presented by this rapidly developing market?
- 12:30 p.m.-1:30 p.m. **Infringement, Rogue Websites, and Copyright Crackdowns: How to Catch Tuna Without Catching Dolphins**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N264
In response to growing concern about copyright infringement, many urge increasingly harsh government action against "rogue websites" and other unauthorized purveyors of copyrighted material. Others claim that these proposed solutions injure legitimate companies and consumers. Is there a reasonable middle ground? How do we target pirates while protecting innovation and legitimate Web commerce?

- 1 p.m.-3 p.m. **Leaders in Technology Show Floor Tour and Product Demonstrations**
Departs from Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N252
 With more than 1.3 million net square feet of exhibit space, there is a lot to see at CES! Tours are arranged by policy interest area and give participants the opportunity to speak directly with engineers and company executives from their home states, witness product demonstrations, and experience new technology first-hand.
An additional tour focusing on environmental policy issues and initiatives will be led during this time as well.
- 2 p.m.-3 p.m. **The Content Industry and Digital Distribution: Who's Winning, Who's Losing, and How It Can Work For You**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N264
 As traditional content providers and gatekeepers struggle to compete with the digital marketplace, consumers are eagerly embracing new streaming services, content lockers and websites that let them manipulate digital content. Explore which new business models work in the new digital environment, who benefits and what the future will bring.
- 3 p.m.-4 p.m. **SuperSession: CNET Presents the Next Big Thing in CE**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N255-257
 This standing-room-only session sets the stage for year ahead. Brian Cooley, Molly Wood and a team of expert editors share the trends, and reveal the emerging categories in the coming year. Don't miss out on this lively and thought provoking session!
- 3:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m. **Energy Efficiency, Innovation and Economic Growth: How the CE Industry Strikes the Right Balance**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N264
 The CE industry has led the way in advancing energy efficiency through innovation, competition and voluntary programs. What is the most effective model for promoting energy efficiency? Are energy-use limits on CE devices and IT equipment justified? Are requirements for energy use disclosures on products a better approach, especially for consumers?
- 4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m. **Keynote Address**
TBD
The Venetian, Venetian Palazzo Ballroom, Level 5
- 7 p.m.-10 p.m. **Dinner Reception**
Innovation Movement Event
Moon Nightclub, The Palms
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Wednesday, January 11

- 7 a.m.-11 p.m. **Hospitality Suite**
The Encore at Wynn
- 7 a.m.-9 a.m. **Continental Breakfast in Hospitality Suite**
The Encore at Wynn
- 9 a.m.-6 p.m. **International CES hours at the Las Vegas Convention Center**
- 9 a.m.-6 p.m. **Leaders in Technology Lounge and Business Center**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N252
- 9 a.m.-11 a.m. **SuperSession: Connect2Car: Connecting Automotive and Consumer Electronics Lifestyles**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall N255-257
Automotive and consumer electronics technologies and applications extend far beyond the vehicle itself. By 2017, more than 13 million vehicles will be sold globally with connected-vehicle platforms and cars will become part of the social graph. Next-generation technologies are coming from both inside and outside the auto industry yet the challenge remains on how effectively new systems and apps get integrated into the car and consumer lifestyles by automakers and the aftermarket. Many millennials consider driving to be the distraction. Those companies with platforms that force them to go off the grid will lose to those that do not.
Presenter: Patti Kreh, Manager of Engineer Meetings, SAE International
Moderator: John Waraniak, VP of Vehicle Technology, SEMA
Panelists:
Jon Bucci, VP of Toyota Motor Sales USA, Toyota
Chris Cook, Executive Director, Mobile Electronics Retailers Association
Nick Pudar, VP of Planning and Business Development, OnStar LLC
- 10:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. **Spectrum for Wireless Broadband: Putting the Puzzle Pieces Together**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N264
How we allocate and utilize our nation's finite spectrum resources will have a great impact on the U.S.'s technology leadership position, competitiveness and innovation. Join this important session about spectrum policy and the roles of government and industry in determining how the puzzle pieces fit together.
- 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. **Leaders in Technology Show Floor Tour and Product Demonstrations**
Departs from Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N252
With more than 1.3 million net square feet of exhibit space, there is a lot to see at CES! Tours are arranged by policy interest area and give participants the opportunity to speak directly with engineers and company executives from their home states, witness product demonstrations, and experience new technology first-hand.

11 a.m.-2 p.m. **Lunch Available in Leaders in Technology Lounge & Business Center**

11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. **Lunch Available in The Encore at Wynn Hospitality Suite**

Noon-1 p.m. **Guarding Your Online Privacy: What Can Be Done, and Who is Responsible**

Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N264

Last year's revelations about massive online data breaches and leaks of personal information threatened consumer confidence and undermined online business models. What must be done to promote a safe and secure online environment? What role should Congress, business and the individual consumer play in safeguarding personal information? Can regulation work without education?

Noon-1 p.m. **SuperSession: Argue The Future**

Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall N255-257

Joshua Topolsky moderates a discussion featuring the brightest minds in tech and culture, as they explore the most controversial industry advancements made over the past year and the most scintillating product announcements at CES. Join this dynamic panel as they predict the fundamental path for the future of consumer electronics.

1 p.m.-2 p.m. **Keynote Address**

Hans Vestberg, President and CEO, Ericsson Group

The Venetian, Venetian Palazzo Ballroom, Level 5

1:30 – 2:30 p.m. **SuperSession: One-on-One With FCC Chairman Julius Genachowski**

Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall N255-257

Join FCC Chairman Julius Genachowski and CEA President and CEO Gary Shapiro for a candid conversation about Chairman Genachowski's tenure at the FCC, his ongoing efforts to bring about meaningful change to the agency and his vision for the FCC. They will discuss developments in broadband, spectrum reform, competition policy and other critical issues impacting the consumer electronics industry.

2:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m. **Leaders in Technology Show Floor Tour and Product Demonstrations**

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An additional tour focusing on energy efficiency issues and initiatives will be led during this time as well.

- 3 p.m.-4 p.m. **The FCC's Regulatory Agenda for 2012**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N264
 Hear what the FCC commissioners have to say about important regulatory and policy issues, including spectrum allocation, accessibility, nationwide device compatibility and other hot topics dominating the conversation in 2012.
- 3 p.m.-4 p.m. **SuperSession: A Global Perspective on Retail**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall N255-257
 You'd think that retail giants across the globe would have many differing, insightful and interesting perspectives on international retail, and in fact, they do! The current global economy has introduced new challenges, advantages and realities. Hear about this and more straight from the world's foremost leaders.
- 4 p.m.-5 p.m. **Keynote Address**
TBD
The Venetian, Venetian Palazzo Ballroom, Level 5
- 6:30 p.m.-7:15 p.m. **Leaders in Technology Reception**
The Wynn, Lafite Ballroom
- 7:15 p.m.-10 p.m. **Leaders in Technology Dinner**
Speaker: John Donahoe, President and CEO, eBay Inc.
The Wynn, Lafite Ballroom
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Thursday, January 12

- 7 a.m.-11 p.m. **Hospitality Suite**
The Encore at Wynn
- 7 a.m.-9 a.m. **Continental Breakfast in Hospitality Suite**
The Encore at Wynn
- 9 a.m.-6 p.m. **Leaders in Technology Lounge and Business Center**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N252
- 9 a.m.-6 p.m. **International CES hours at the Las Vegas Convention Center**
- 9 a.m.-10 a.m. **Brand Keynote Panel**
TBD
The Venetian, Venetian Palazzo Ballroom, Level 5

- 9 a.m.-11 a.m. **Leaders in Technology Show Floor Tour and Product Demonstrations**
Departs from Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N252
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- 10:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. **Getting Us Back on Track: How Technology and Innovation Can Save America**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N264
 In this time of historic challenges — a grim fiscal environment and stubbornly high unemployment — technology produces high-wage jobs and economic growth. Can innovation drive America's comeback? What can make America the world's smartest, most innovative, most competitive nation? Our extraordinary panel presents America's roadmap back to success.
- 11 a.m.-2 p.m. **Lunch Available in Leaders in Technology Lounge & Business Center**
- 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. **Lunch Available in The Encore at Wynn Hospitality Suite**
- Noon-1 p.m. **Green Standards for Consumer Electronics: How Many Labels Will Be Enough?**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N264
 New green standards for consumer electronic products are coming. Should different types of CE have different standards and labels or share a common mark? Are new labels the best way to educate consumers about green attributes, or are there better options? Manufacturers and green standard developers weigh the alternatives.
- 1 p.m.-3 p.m. **Leaders in Technology Show Floor Tour and Product Demonstrations**
Departs from Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N252
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- 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. **Counterfeits Tsunami: How Do We Stop It?**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N264
 American brands are bedeviled by counterfeit products coming in from overseas. How can we tackle this problem in a targeted and effective way without doing collateral damage to legitimate businesses? What legal remedies are available? How can the private sector most effectively cooperate with law enforcement? Can more diplomatic pressure be brought to bear? Join us as we explore approaches and solutions to this critical issue.

3 p.m.-4 p.m. **Product Refurbishment and Reuse in the Developing World: What is its Current and Future Role in the CE Industry?**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N264
In developing nations, refurbishment and reuse activities are a major part of local CE industries. How do refurbishment operations meet local consumer demand? How do they affect the environment? Will new, lower-priced technologies put these operations out of business, or could they become global go-to locations for operations like warranty repair?

7 p.m.-10 p.m. **Dinner Reception**
V Bar, The Venetian
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Friday, January 13

7 a.m.-4 p.m. **Hospitality Suite**
The Encore at Wynn

7 a.m.-9 a.m. **Continental Breakfast in Hospitality Suite**
The Encore at Wynn

9 a.m.-4 p.m. **International CES hours at the Las Vegas Convention Center**

9 a.m.-4 p.m. **Leaders in Technology Lounge and Business Center**
Las Vegas Convention Center, North Hall, N252

10:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m. **Leaders in Technology Show Floor Tour and Product Demonstrations**
Departs from Las Vegas Convention Center, South Hall, S222
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11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. **Lunch Available in Leaders in Technology Lounge & Business Center**

11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. **Lunch Available in The Encore at Wynn Hospitality Suite**

1:30-3:30 p.m. **Leaders in Technology Show Floor Tour and Product Demonstrations**
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2 p.m.-4 p.m. **Snacks and Refreshments Available**
The Encore at Wynn, Hospitality Suite

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Mr. Joseph Wender
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Dear Mr. Wender:

Pursuant to House Rule 25, clause 5(d)(2), the Committee on Ethics hereby approves your proposed trip to Las Vegas, Nevada, scheduled for January 10 to 12, 2012, sponsored by Consumer Electronics Association. We remind you that, because the trip sponsor employs a federal lobbyist, you may participate in officially-connected activity on one calendar day only.

You must complete an Employee Travel Disclosure Form (which your employing Member must also sign) and file it with the Clerk of the House within 15 days after your return from travel. As part of that filing, you are required to attach a copy of this letter and the Private Sponsor Travel Certification Form, including all attachments. You must also include a copy of the Traveler Form completed by you and signed by your employing Member. If you are required to file an annual Financial Disclosure Statement, you must also report all travel expenses totaling more than \$350 from a single source on Schedule VII of that statement.

If you have any further questions, please contact the Committee's Office of Advice and Education at extension 5-7103.

Sincerely,

Jo Bonner
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